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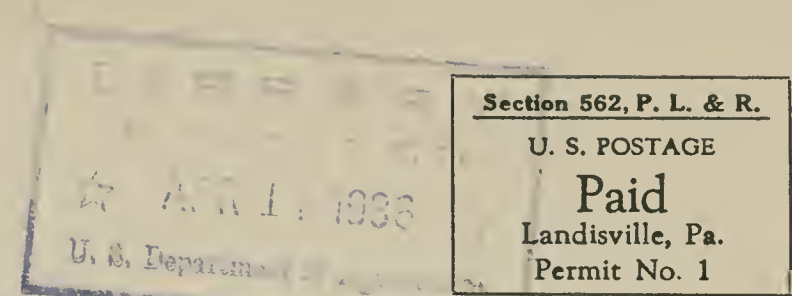
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# Sow the RIGHT Seed!

It's that *extra* ton of hay to the acre . . .  
that *extra* 10 bu. of oats . . . that *better-*  
*filled* corn crib . . . that *extra* amount of  
silage in your silo . . . that's what counts!  
That *extra part* of the crop is PROFIT!

*Hoffman's*  
seeds pay

Bureau of Plant Industry and Diseases,  
U. S. Department of Agriculture,  
Washington, D. C.







Seed Market Reports

**ALFALFA.** Demand has been heavy. Supply of strictly top-quality seed getting smaller daily. Higher prices are expected.

**TIMOTHY.** Market is quite firm, with demand heavy.

**ALSIKE CLOVER.** Supply nearly exhausted. Prices have advanced steadily since last fall. Buyers needing this seed for later sowing, are urged to order it now.

**RED CLOVER.** Late buyers expecting lower prices, are disappointed this year. Wholesale markets fully \$2 per bushel higher than few months ago. Demand has been enormous in Central and Western States—causing stronger market than in several years. Supplies are getting low.

**SWEET CLOVER.** Prices are low. Seed quality fine. Markets steady.

**PASTURE GRASSES.** Markets firm. Demand good. Higher prices are looked for on many items. Time to buy this class of seed is now!

**SEED OATS.** Demand quite heavy. Because of late season, it will likely continue for a while. Note the quantity prices below. Remember the Freight Paid and Free Bag offers.

**SEED POTATOES.** Supplies of first-quality seed are nearer to being cleaned up, in Maine than for a long time. Market will likely be very active until season closes.

**SEED CORN.** Great demand—from all sections. Supplies selling fast. Quality here is first-class. Tested. Graded. Sound. Priced right!

**SOY BEANS.** Demand slow in starting, but picking up now. Prices are low. Quality of seed fine. Believe now a good time to order this seed.

HOFFMAN'S SEED PRICES

April 8, 1936

**FREIGHT PAID** on shipments that weigh **100 LBS.** or **MORE** to any Railroad station in Penna., Ohio, N. J., Md., N. Y., Va., Del., W. Va., Conn., R. I., Mass.

**BAGS** supplied **FREE** on all orders.

Postage Charges are 'Extra' on All Seeds.  
Express Shipments are sent 'Charges Collect'.

ALFALFA	Per Pound	Per Bushel
(60 lbs. per bushel)		
Kansas (U. S. Verified) . . . . .	\$ .21	\$11.75
Northwest (U. S. Verified) . . . . .	.23	12.50
Genuine Grimm (U. S. Verified) . . . . .	.26	14.50
State Certified Grimm . . . . .	.30	16.00

CLOVER SEED	Per Pound	Per Bushel
(60 lbs. per bushel)		
Sweet Clover (White) . . . . .	\$ .09	\$ 4.95
Sweet Clover (Yellow) . . . . .	.10	5.30
Sweet Clover (Grundy Co.) . . . . .	.10	5.50
Economy Red Clover . . . . .	.24	13.50
Extra Red Clover (U. S. Verified) . . . . .	.25	14.00
Extra Mammoth (U. S. Verified) . . . . .	.26	14.50
Economy Alsike . . . . .	.27	15.50
Extra Alsike . . . . .	.28	16.00
Grimson Clover . . . . .	.12	6.60
White Dutch Clover . . . . .	.30	16.50
Korean Lespedeza . . . . . (40 lbs.)	.14	4.95

"HOFFMAN INOCULANT"

(Prices include Prepaid Postage)		
For Alfalfas and Clovers		
1/2 bu. size	1 bu. size	2 1/2 bu. size
\$0.35	\$0.60	\$1.25

For Beans, Peas and Vetch		
1 bu. size	2 bu. size	5 bu. size
\$0.35	\$0.60	\$1.25

TIMOTHY SEED	Per Bushel
Farmer's Choice . . (45 lbs.)	\$ 2.75

CLOVER MIXTURES	
Economical Mixture (56 lbs.)	10.90
1/2 Red Clover—1/4 Alsike—1/4 Timothy	
Alsike & Timothy. (45 lbs.)	4.30
Contains over 20% Alsike—very clean	

MILLETS	
Golden . . . . . (48 lbs.)	\$ 2.90
Hungarian . . . . . (48 lbs.)	2.85
Japanese . . . . . (32 lbs.)	2.10

SUNDRY SEEDS	
Spring Vetch . . . (50 lbs.)	\$ 3.15
Winter Vetch . . . (60 lbs.)	8.40
Amber Sorghum . (50 lbs.)	2.60
Sudan Grass . . . (per pound)	.07
150 to 499 lbs. " "	.06 1/2
500 lbs. or over " "	.06
Dwarf Essex Rape " "	.07
Hog Pasture Mixture " "	.06
Cow Horn Turnip " "	.35

"CAHOON" SEED SOWERS	
Postage Prepaid, \$4.50	

"SOILTEX"	
For Testing Soils	
Each Outfit (Postpaid)	\$1.00

Hoffman's Extra Quality Seeds  
make EXTRA GOOD Crops!

For more than a generation—there has been Reliable Quality in Hoffman's Farm Seeds.

In many, many cases, Father and Son know the truth of this fact! And it shall be true of the next and following generations!

Nothing else is so important in seeds, as **QUALITY!** Price counts, too—but quality should come first—always!

Nearly a hundred thousand farmers have sown Hoffman's Seeds, and done well with them. Great numbers of letters have come in from these folks . . . telling how they are more than satisfied . . . how they got their money's worth!

Hoffman's Seeds are clean . . . hardy . . . tested . . . and sound! Dependable in quality for 38 years! Sow them on your farm—you'll be well pleased . . . because Hoffman's Seeds Pay!

SEED CORN	Per Bushel
(56 lbs. per bushel)	
Lancaster County Sure Crop . .	\$2.75
West Branch Sweepstakes . . .	2.75
Red Cob White Ensilage . . . .	2.75
White Cap Yellow Dent . . . . .	2.75
Golden Queen . . . . .	2.85
Hoffman Early 90-Day . . . . .	2.75
Reid's Yellow Dent . . . . .	2.90
Early Leaming . . . . .	2.75
Long's Champion Yellow . . . .	2.75
Improved Leaming . . . . .	2.75
Yellow Flint . . . . .	2.75
Eureka Ensilage . . . . .	3.25
Johnson County White . . . . .	2.85

CROW REPELLENT	
For Treating Seed Corn	
1 bu. size . . . . .	\$0.60
2 bu. size . . . . .	1.00
4 bu. size . . . . .	1.75
(Postpaid)	

BARLEY & GRAINS	
Wisconsin Pedigree (48 lbs.)	\$1.45
Velvet Barley . . . . . (48 lbs.)	1.60
Beardless Barley . . (48 lbs.)	1.85
Wisconsin 38 Barley (48 lbs.)	1.65
Spring Wheat . . . . . (60 lbs.)	2.25
Spring Rye . . . . . (56 lbs.)	2.10
Speltz . . . . . (40 lbs.)	1.60
Japanese Buckwheat (48 lbs.)	1.35

"CERESAN"	
(Postpaid)	
For Barley, Oats, Wheat, Etc.	
1 lb. . . . .	\$0.75
5 lbs. . . . .	\$3.00
"SEMESAN JR."	
(Postpaid)	
For Seed Corn Only	
4 oz. . . . .	\$0.35
5 lbs. . . . .	\$4.75
1 lb. . . . .	\$1.00

"SEMESAN BEL"	
(Postpaid)	
For Seed Potatoes	
4 oz. . . . .	\$0.50
5 lbs. . . . .	\$7.00
1 lb. . . . .	\$1.65

CLIPPER SEED CLEANERS	
No. 1-B—\$38	No. 2-B—\$44
Freight Paid	

GRASS SEEDS	Lbs. in a bu.	Per Pound	Per Bushel
Hay and Pasture Mixture . . . .	.32	\$ .16	\$ 4.75
Kentucky Blue . . . . .	.14	.20	2.60
Fancy Red Top . . . . .	.32	.14	4.10
Orchard Grass . . . . .	.14	.21	2.85
Canada Blue . . . . .	.14	.25	3.25
Meadow Fescue . . . . .	.24	.14	2.90
Native Rye . . . . .	.24	.11	2.25
English Rye . . . . .	.24	.18	4.05
Tall Meadow Oat . . . . .	.14	.27	3.60
Bromus Inermis . . . . .	.14	.28	3.80
Hoffman's Lawn Seed. (per pound)		.30	
Shady Lawn Seed " "		.35	

SEED OATS	(32 lbs. per bushel)		
	Up to 14 bu.	15 to 49 bu.	50 bu. & over
Peerless . . . . . @	\$ .88	\$ .86	\$ .85
Silver Mine . . . . .	.90	.88	.87
Swedish Select . . . . .	.95	.92	.89
Shadeland Victory . . . . .	1.10	1.07	1.04
Shadeland Climax . . . . .	1.15	1.12	1.08
White Russian (Side Type)	1.25	1.25	1.20

SEED POTATOES	(Certified)		
(Maine-grown, 2-bu. sack)			
	Up to 4 sacks	5 to 14 sacks	15 sacks & over
Irish Cobbler . . . . . @	\$4.15	\$4.05	\$4.00
Green Mountain . . . . .	4.15	4.05	4.00

(Michigan-grown, 2-bu. sack)			
Russets . . . . . @	\$4.15	\$4.05	\$4.00
(New York grown, 2-bu. sack)			
Russets . . . . . @	\$4.05	\$4.00	\$3.95
White Rurals . . . . .	4.05	4.00	3.95
Rural New Yorker . . . . .	4.05	4.00	3.95

BEANS & PEAS	(60 lbs. per bushel)		
	Up to 9 bu.	10 bu. to 29 bu.	30 bu. & over
Wilson Black Soys . . . . . @	\$2.00	\$1.95	\$1.90
Manchu Soys . . . . .	2.20	2.15	2.10
Virginia Soys . . . . .	2.10	2.05	2.00
Mammoth Yellow Soys . . . . .	2.25	2.25	2.20
Illini (Early) Soys . . . . .	2.20	2.25	2.20
Mixed Soy Beans . . . . .	1.90	1.85	1.80
New Era Cow Peas . . . . .	2.90	2.85	2.80
Whippoorwill Cow Peas . . . . .	2.90	2.85	2.80
Canada Field Peas . . . . .	3.10	3.05	3.00





## Hoffman's Clover Seed

It's as true of Sweet Clover as it is of Red, Alsike, Mammoth—or any other Clover . . . namely—Quality Seed Counts! And here is a stock of truly high-quality seed!

All these Clovers are from tested lots . . . Clean of foul weeds. Of strong sound growth. Grown in the most desirable sections—seed that can be safely sown on your farm.



Demand for Hoffman's Quality Clovers has run nicely ahead of last year's. Folks appreciate what they get in these Extra-Quality strains. Prices are very fair. They include the free-bag and freight-paid terms—see inside.

If you plan to sow any of the Clovers later in the summer, we suggest that you order your seed now. Feel sure that prices can be no lower . . and more likely, they could easily work the other way.

***Make up your Hoffman Seed  
Order—and Mail it Today***

## Hoffman's Seed Oats

Because of the long wintry season, early demand for all seeds was under normal . . . But these last three weeks! They certainly have been big ones! And Seed Oats is one of the items in very heavy call.

The famous "Shadeland Victory" and "Shadeland Climax" are selling fast . . . So is "Swedish Select". Don't overlook the "White Russian" variety, if you like the 'side' type oats. Supply of it is small.

Remember—all bags are free at Hoffman Seed prices. And your freight is paid on shipments that weigh 100 lbs. or more.

If you get an extra 15 bushels of oats per acre—from sowing one of these heavy-yielding Hoffman strains . . . (and many folks have done it year after year) you will have a new satisfaction, plus a new profit that won't come otherwise. It's those extra bushels that show you a profit! And you can get them!



***Order Your Hoffman Seed Oats=Now!***

## Hoffman's Seed Corn

Not in a great many years, has the call for Hoffman Seed Corn been so great . . . And from many sections of the country! The North wants ensilage varieties. The Central States want silage corn, too—and also husking varieties.

Folks have come to know of the good quality they get in Hoffman Seed Corn. And the profitable crops it grows for them. Our advice to all is—Don't wait to order, but buy your Hoffman Seed Corn right now!

Famous "Lancaster County Sure Crop" again leads in sales. And rightly so. For it answers a double call. Fine for husking in so many sections. And certainly fills the silo in good shape. Then there is "White Cap Yellow" and "Reid's Yellow", as well as the "Early 90-Day" variety—plus several other husking types. The special "Red Cob White Ensilage", "West Branch Sweepstakes" and other straight silo corns.

*All in Good Quality—Sound  
Germination . . Order Today!*



## Hoffman's Alfalfa

Sales of Hoffman Alfalfa Seed are way ahead this year. Seems that more folks are appreciating the unusual quality seed they buy here. Truly the very cream of the crop it is. Clean, plump, bright, tested seed. Free from noxious weeds—and of soundest growth. "Northwest" is again leading in sales. Its use is spreading rapidly. Has been making extra good tonnage for its users. And very clean, thick stands. Our prices are very fair this year. Good time now to order your Alfalfa seed for summer use.

***Renew Old Pastures . . .  
'Start New Ones***

The ground has lots of moisture . . . and seed is low in price this year . . . Don't that make a good combination—and suggest this Spring as the time to look after pastures?

One thing you can depend upon . . . good clean, sound seed, when you order from this Hoffman stock. See prices inside.

**A. H. HOFFMAN, INC., LANDISVILLE, (LANCASTER COUNTY), PA.**

